BID INVITATION AND NOTICE TO BIDDERS COUNTY OF SALEM, NEW JERSEY

The Salem County Purchasing Agent invites sealed bids for Providing Food Service and Food Service Management for the Salem County Correctional Facility.

Specifications may be obtained daily between 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM from the Salem County Purchasing Department, Salem County Court House, 94 Market Street, Salem, New Jersey, or they will be mailed on telephone request (856) 935-7510, Extension 8401.

Bids shall be made on the bid form provided and in the manner prescribed. They shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes bearing the legend, **Bid for Providing Foodservice and Foodservice Management for the Salem County Correctional Facility** on the outside. The bids shall be returned to the Salem County Purchasing Agent by **Tuesday, August 30, 2011** at **11:00 A.M.** prevailing time, when they will be opened and read in public. Late bids will not be considered.

There will be a pre-bid tour and inspection of the project site, including kitchen equipment, commencing at 9:00 AM prevailing time, on **Thursday, August 17, 2011**, at the Salem County Correctional Facility, 125 Cemetery Road, Woodstown, NJ.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, C. 127 (NJAC 17:27) Affirmative Action.

Any questions regarding the specifications prior to the bid opening may be addressed to the Salem County Purchasing Department, Administration Building, 94 Market Street, Salem, New Jersey, 08079. Telephone (856) 935-7510, Extension 8499.

By order of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem, Lee R. Ware, Director.

Carol S. Wooten Purchasing Agent